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REMARKS

Claims 1 to 138 are currently pending. Applicant hereby elects an, as yet, unidentified species, which is illustrated in Figures 9A to 9E, and is defined by claims 84 to 108 and amended claims 9, 10, 25 and 26. None of the Examiner's species included the specific motherboard/daughterboard combination as illustrated in Figures 9A to 9E and as defined by the aforementioned claims. Applicant hereby cancels claims 1 to 8, 11 to 24, 27 to 83, and 109 to 138.

Claims 9, 10, 25 and 26 have been amended to be consistent with the elected species.

Claims 85, 94, 102 and 106 have been amended to eliminate reference to an unidentified element, i.e. "the base".


As such, it is respectfully submitted that all of the claims remaining in the application are in condition for allowance. Early and favorable consideration would be appreciated.

Should any minor informalities need to be addressed, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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